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Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to respond to the Office Action dated October 2, 2003:

[X] one (1) month to and including February 2, 2004; the extension fee is \$55.00.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0850.

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